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STRUCTURE FOR MOUNTING CAMERAS ON A VEHICLE

AMENDMENT

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In response to the Official Action dated July 3, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claims 1-3, 10, 13 and 14 as follows:

1. (Twice Amended) A structure for mounting cameras on a vehicle, comprising: a chassis having a predetermined length and extended in a lateral direction of a vehicle body; and

a pair of stereo cameras having a camera on the right and left sides for obtaining an image signal of a forward road environment of said vehicle, each of said right side and left side cameras being mounted on each right side and left side ends, respectively, of said chassis in said lateral direction having a positional relationship to each other; and

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